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Title: Nanostructured Liquid Bearing

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Specification
7 Informal Sheets of drawing(s)
1 Assignment(s) with Cover Sheet
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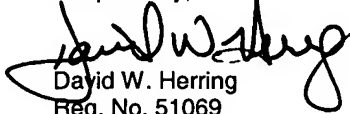
CLAIMS AS FILED				
	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA	RATE	CALCULATIONS
Total Claims	21 - 20 =	1	x \$18 =	\$18
Independent Claims	5 - 3 =	2	x \$86 =	\$172
Multiple Dependent Claims, if applicable			+ \$290 =	\$0
Basic Fee				\$770
			TOTAL FEE	\$960

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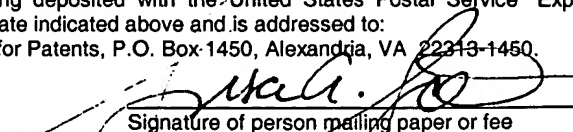
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